

# IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Applicant : Durward I. Faries, Jr. et al.  
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Title : Method and Apparatus for Heating Solutions Within Intravenous Lines to Desired Temperatures During Infusion

## TRANSMITTAL OF REPLY TO NON-COMPLIANT APPEAL BRIEF

**Enclosed** are the following documents in response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Appeal Brief mailed June 20, 2007 for the above-identified application.

Transmitted herewith are the following documents

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Amended Appeal Brief (38 pages) Amended in accordance with Notice to indicate Status of claims and claims on appeal.	<input type="checkbox"/> Petition for Extension of Time
<input type="checkbox"/> Appeal Brief Fee (\$250.00 – small entity)	<input type="checkbox"/> Other:

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The Director is hereby authorized to treat any concurrent or future reply, requiring a petition for an extension of time under this paragraph for its timely submission, as incorporating a petition for extension of time for the appropriate length of time. In addition, the Director is hereby authorized to charge any additional appropriate fees that may be required during the pendency of the above-identified application (e.g., in the concurrent or in any future reply), as well as to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. **05-0460**.

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